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Applicant:	William J. Bertrand et al.	Examiner:	Samuel G. Gilbert
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Title:	ELECTRONIC VALVE READER		

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I, on behalf of the Assignee of record of the entire interest of the above identified application, hereby revoke all powers of attorney previously given and hereby appoint the following attorneys or agents to prosecute and transact all business in the USPTO connected therewith:

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STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 3.73(b)

Medtronic, Inc., a Minnesota corporation, states that it is:

- A. The assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of the following:
- B. A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:
 - 1. From: all inventors (**William J. Bertrand; Lori C. Speckman; Robert Golden; Gary Sanders; Steve Vincent; Dan Morris**)

To: **Medtronic, Inc.**

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